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METHODS FOR HIGH-

PRECISION GAP AND

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10 Sir:

Please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

In the Claims:

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Please cancel claims 38-120 and 122-245 without prejudice.

In the Specification:

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Please amend the following paragraphs of the specification to read as shown below. A "marked up" version of the amended paragraphs is included as an attachment to the paper.